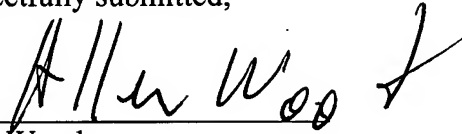


the claims lack the proper indicators (underlining) so as to prove an indication of the changes in the claim.” The “Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment ...” requires a corrected section.

The claims as presented in the Amendment filed on July 9, 2007 has been reviewed, and informalities were indeed detected in the preamble of claim 10. These informalities have been fixed in the corrected section of claim amendments that is attached to the present Response.

It is therefore respectfully submitted that the requirement imposed by the PTO communication of October 9, 2007 has been fulfilled. In the event that any further informalities in the claims exist, it is respectfully requested that they be explicitly pointed out in order to facilitate correction.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Allen Wood", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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